Outlook

WCU Site Agreement

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Good morning, Joy and Kelly.

I have a question from our Board about the future of voting at WCU - this is a hypothetical question and something I'm pursuing on their behalf.

In the event that the Board wanted to pursue voting at WCU - Early Voting and/or Election Day, and likely involving the Health & Human Sciences spaces - Board members want to explore a "contract" for use.

I have been engaging with our County Attorney for a while about creating site agreements for all voting sites. Generally, these would be "simple" agreements with our voting site stakeholders to ensure we have better documentation about usage, what we require (security etc.) and what sites might provide (access to bathrooms etc.). I believe I mentioned this to Teresa Cruz-Paul last year when we started exploring these agreements. I understand that WCU's agreement would need to be vetted by WCU counsel and would likely include other details such as WCU's weapons policy, rules about where campaign signs go etc.

Again, this is something I've been working on hope to utilize consistently across all sites; and future usage of WCU is hypothetical and dependent upon the Board's decisions, but I was hoping to answer this question for the member(s). If Jackson Co. BOE were to return to WCU for voting, would WCU be amenable to a voting agreement with details regarding the usage of WCU space as a voting site?

Please let me know if you have any further questions. I appreciate all your help navigating these discussions.

Best,

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